

BOSE MCKINNEY & EVANS LLP

CUSTOMER NUMBER 64108

111 Monument Circle

Suite 2700

Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

(317) 684-5000

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Pachl, et al.	}	Attorney Docket No. 9134-0414
	}	
Title: COATED TEST ELEMENTS	}	Examiner: Lyle Alexander
	}	
Serial No.: 10/581,409	}	Confirmation No. 3752
	}	
Filed: September 20, 2006	}	Art Unit: 1773

**PETITION AND FEE FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Mail Stop: AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing an Amendment and Response to the final Office Action mailed March 3, 2011 in the above identified application for:

- one month (\$130.00)
- two months (\$490.00)
- three months (\$1,110.00)
- four months (\$1,730.00)
- five months (\$2,350.00)

Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27, therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, the resulting fee being \$ _____.

A check to cover the fee is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 02-3223 in the name of Bose McKinney & Evans LLP.

A response to the non-final Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith.

Please charge any additional fees due, or credit any overpayment, to Bose McKinney & Evans LLP's Deposit Account No. 02-3223.

Respectfully submitted

/Michael C. Bartol/
Michael C. Bartol, Reg. No. 44,025

Date Submitted: August 1, 2011
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204
(317) 684-5000

1960167_1